Record Nr. UNINA9910815896103321 Autore Nussbaum Martha Craven <1947-> Titolo Anger and forgiveness: resentment, generosity, justice // Martha C. Nussbaum Pubbl/distr/stampa Oxford, England:,: Oxford University Press,, 2016 ©2016 **ISBN** 0-19-933589-3 0-19-933588-5 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (322 pages) Disciplina 179.9 Soggetti Anger Forgiveness Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. 1. Introduction: furies into Eumenides -- 2. Anger: weakness, payback, Nota di contenuto down-ranking -- 3. Forgiveness: a genealogy -- 4. Intimate relationships: the trap of anger -- 5. The middle realm stoicism qualified -- 6. The political realm everyday justice -- 7. The political realm -- revolutionary justice -- 8. Conclusion: the eyes of the world -- Appendix A: emotions and upheavals of thought -- Appendix B: anger and blame; Appendix C: anger and Its species Sommario/riassunto In this wide-ranging book, Martha C. Nussbaum, one of our leading public intellectuals, argues that anger is conceptually confused and normatively pernicious. It assumes that the suffering of the wrongdoer restores the thing that was damaged, and it betrays an all-too-lively interest in relative status and humiliation. Studying anger in intimate relationships, casual daily interactions, the workplace, the criminal justice system, and movements for social transformation, Nussbaum

shows that anger's core ideas are both infantile and harmful.